

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
(03-764-B (400.216US))**

In re the Application of: McSwiggen, et al.)	
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Serial No: 10/567,888)	Group Art Unit: TBA
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Filed: February 7, 2006)	Examiner: TBA
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For: RNA Interference Mediated Inhibition)	Conf. No. 2856
of XIAP Gene Expression Using Short)	
Interfering Nucleic Acid (siNA))	

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT

Sir:

A response to a notice to file missing parts was filed on December 15, 2006 in the above-mentioned application by the undersigned. The response inadvertently lacked an amendment requesting entry of the sequence listing into the specification. Applicants respectfully request that the sequence listing submitted on December 15, 2006 in the above-mentioned application be entered into the specification in place of any previously filed sequence listings. The sequence listing adds no new matter.

If an extension of time is necessary for entry of this amendment the Commissioner is authorized to charge out deposit account 13-2490.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: December 28, 2006

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